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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 8, 2005, Applicant elects, without traverse, for prosecution the claims of Group I, claims 1-19, drawn to process, classified in class 438, subclass 110.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

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